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C O N F I D E N T I A L BRAZZAVILLE 1025

E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: PINT, CF
SUBJECT: JULY 31 CELEBRATIONS

1. JULY 31 MARKS TEN YEARS SINCE PAST PRESIDENT NGOUABI
TURNED BACK A COUP ATTEMPT AND STRENGTHENED HIS HAND AS
LEADER OF THE "CONGOLESE REVOLUTION." IT IS EXPECTED
TO BE MARKED BY, AMONG OTHER EVENTS, A SPEECH BY PRESIDENT
YHOMBY-OPANGO. CONTENT SURELY WILL INCLUDE CALL FOR
AUSTERITY AND REDEDICATION TO ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT
(BRAZZAVILLE 963).

2. RUMORS ON WHAT ELSE MIGHT BE CONTAINED RANGE FROM
ONE WHICH HAS YHOMBY DECIDING TO RETIRE, FACED BY COUNTRY'S
HEAVY ECONOMIC BURDEN (WISHFUL THINKING BY SOUTHERNERS),
TO OTHERS WHICH AGAIN SPECULATE CABINET RESHUFFLING
WHICH WOULD HAVE AMONG NEW MINISTERS POINTE-NOIRE MILITARY
COMMANDER MOTOUDOU. STRENGTHENING LATTER REPORT IS NOW
MORE WIDELY CIRCULATING BELIEF THAT YHOMBY WILL USE
RECENT YOUTH AND LABOR UNION "REFLECTIONS" AS BASIS
FOR A CHANGE.

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3. FURTHER ON ECONOMIC SIDE, WE UNDERSTAND SEPARATELY
THAT ELF HAS GIVEN AN ADVANCE ON ANTICIPATED REVENUES
WHICH COMPLEMENTS RECENT LIBYAN GIFT IN MAKING UP GOCB'S
MAY PAYROLL (BRAZZAVILLE 1006).
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